

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Sent By: RITTER LANG KAPLAN ;

408 446 8691 ;

Mar-30-05 1:55PM;

Page 1

PTO/SB/21 (08-03)

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

Approved for use through 8/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL
FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Application Number	10/613,426
Filing Date	July 3, 2003
First Named Inventor	VIKRAM DEVADAS et al.
Group Art Unit	2662
Examiner Name	SABA TSSEGAYE

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

5 Attorney Docket Number CISCP816

RECEIVED

CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAR 30 2005

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	<input type="checkbox"/> Return Postcard
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): International Search Report
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		

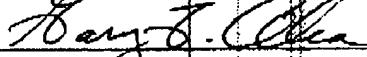
Remarks

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account 50-1852.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm and Individual name RITTER, LANG & KAPLAN LLP
GARY T. AKA Reg. No. 29,038

Signature



Date

MARCH 30, 2005

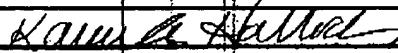
CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted (703-872-8306) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

MARCH 30, 2005

Typed or printed name Karen A. Hallock

Signature



Date

March 30, 2005

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be send to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Sent By: RITTER LANG KAPLAN ;

408 446 8691 ;

Mar-30-05 1:55PM;

Page 2

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted with the United States Patent and Trademark Office via facsimile no. 703/872-9306 and addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on March 30, 2005.		Attorney Docket No. CISCP816 PATENT
Signed:  Karen A. Hallock		

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

VIKRAM DEVADAS et al.

Application No.: 10/613,426

Filed: July 3, 2003

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
EFFICIENT FLOW CONTROL FOR
CLIENT DATA FRAMES OVER GFP
ACROSS A SONET/SDH
TRANSPORT PATH**

Examiner: SABA TSEGAYE

Group: 2662

Date: March 30, 2005

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****MAR 30 2005****INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §§1.56 AND 1.97(c)**

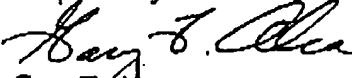
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

A copy of the foreign Search Report which was dated January 11, 2005, is enclosed herewith. Upon review of this Search Report and of previously filed Information Disclosure Statements, it is noted that the references cited were previously submitted. It is believed that since the references cited in this Search Report have already been submitted, the references are already in the official record for this application. Accordingly, the cited references are not enclosed with this submission.

Should the Commissioner determine that additional fees are required for filing the present Information Disclosure Statement, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to our deposit account number 50-1652 (Order No. CISCP816).

Respectfully submitted,


Gary T. Aka
Reg. No. 29,038

RITTER, LANG & KAPLAN LLP
12930 Saratoga Ave., Suite D1
Saratoga, CA 95070
(408) 446-8690